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TITLE: Optical element, metal mold for producing optical element and production method for optical element

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Brief Summary Text - BSTX (7):

In a data storage apparatus such as a magneto-optic disk apparatus or DVD (digital versatile disk) apparatus an optical head is arranged close to the surface of a disk-like data recording medium and a converged laser beam is exposed onto a data recording media surface to record data on data recording medium or read data from the data recording medium.

Brief Summary Text - BSTX (8):

When trying to raise a recording density of data in order to achieve a larger capacity of data recording in such a data storage apparatus, the laser beam must be sharply converged and exposed on the surface of the data recording medium, and it is necessary to use an object lens having a high numerical aperture (NA). In this case, if a large sized lens is used, the optical head ends up becoming large, then, a diameter of the lens must be kept at a small size. Accordingly, this means usage of a lens having a high numerical aperture and having a small size. As a result, it becomes necessary to arrange the lens extremely close to the surface of the data recording medium.

Brief Summary Text - BSTX (12):

Next, as shown in FIG. 19D, in order to form two floating use rails 2108 and 2108 at the two end portions of the bottom surface of the slider substrate 2102, two grooves 2110 and 2110 sandwiching the ball lens 2106 is formed by for example dry etching such as ion milling or RIE (reactive ion etching) and selective etching utilizing semiconductor photolithography.

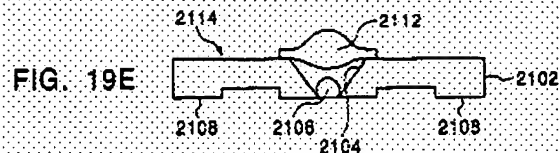
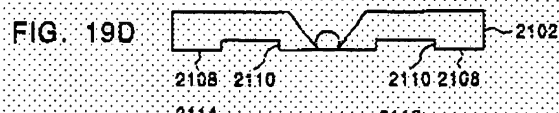
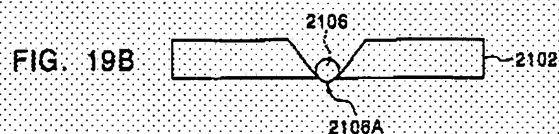
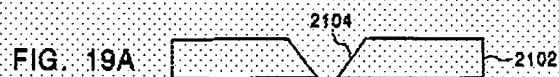
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Further, when forming a floating type optical head by using the above optical element, in order to record data on the data recording medium at a high density and reproduce data recorded at a high density from the data recording medium, it is necessary to sharply converge the laser beam and expose the converged beam on a specific position on the data recording medium with a good precision. Accordingly, when forming the conventional floating type optical head 2114, an extremely high precision is required particularly in the work for formation and assembly of the lens, the work took a long time, skill was necessary. Also, it was necessary to form the parts used with a very high precision too.

Detailed Description Text - DETX (13):

Note that the optical element 100 is suitable for a floating type optical head arranged close to the surface of a disk-like data recording medium and focusing a converged laser beam on the surface of a

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